Docket No. MENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER 65744/P009CP1/10313153 Application No. Filing Date Examiner Art Unit 10/062,179-Conf. #1680 February 1, 2002 F. J. Jaworski 3737 Applicant(s): Jens U. Quistgaard et al. MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC ULTRASOUND INSTRUMENT WITH ECG MODULE, Invention: AUTHORIZATION MECHANISM AND METHODS OF USE TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below. **CLAIMS AS AMENDED** Claims Highest Remaining Number Number After Previously **Extra Claims** Amendment Paid Present Rate 0.00 **Total Claims** 75 16 Х Independent 2 13 0.00 Х Claims Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) Other fee (please specify): 0.00 TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT: x Small Entity Large Entity x No additional fee is required for this amendment. in the amount of \$ Please charge Deposit Account No. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. 06-2380 x | The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No. as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Credit any overpayment. Charge any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17. Dated: March 18, 2005 Christopher S. L. Craw Attorney Reg. No.: FULBRIGHT & JAWORSKI L.L.P. 2200 Ross Avenue, Suite 2800 Dallas, Texas 75201-2784 (214) 855-8378

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 19, 2005, the Examiner is requested to reconsider the application in view of the amendments and remarks below.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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